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& EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE
211 S. FIFTH STREET
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Response Due Date
08/25/2014

IDENTIFICATION NUMBER: C00162339

REFERENCE: MAY MONTHLY REPORT (04/01/2014 - 04/30/2014)

Dear Treasurer:

This letter is prompted by the Commission's preliminary review of the report referenced above. This notice requests information essential to full public disclosure of your federal election campaign finances. **Failure to adequately respond by the response date noted above could result in an audit or enforcement action.** Additional information is needed for the following 3 item(s):

1. The beginning cash balance of this report does not equal the ending balance of your April Monthly Report (3/1/14 - 3/31/14). Please correct this discrepancy and amend all subsequent report(s) that may be affected by the correction. (2 U.S.C. § 434)(b)(1))
2. The totals listed on Lines 6(c), 7, 11(c), 11(d), 12, 19, 20, 21(b), 21(c), 30(b), 30(c), 31, and 32 Column B of the Summary and Detailed Summary Pages appear to be incorrect. Column B figures for the Summary and Detailed Summary Pages should equal the sum of the Column B figures on your previous report and the Column A figures on this report. Please file an amendment to your report to correct the Column B discrepancies for this report and all subsequent report(s) which may be affected by this correction. Note that Column B should reflect only the Calendar Year-to-Date totals. (2 U.S.C. § 434(b))
3. Schedule H4 supporting Line 21(a) of your report discloses a payment(s) for "ORP Staff, payroll, taxes and fees - not candidate specific." Please be advised that pursuant to 11 CFR §300.33(c)(2), salaries and wages for employees who spend more than 25% of their compensated time in a given month on Federal Election Activity (FEA) or activities in connection with a Federal election must not be allocated between or among federal and